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Division of Oil Gas and Mining
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Subject: TOSCO Corporation
Oil Shale Mining Plan
Sand Wash Area
Uintah County, Utah

DIVISION OF
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Gentlemen:

TOSCO Corporation is currently planning an oil shale mining operation in the Sand Wash Area of Uintah County, Utah.

Atlantic Richfield Company has an interest in several oil and gas leases which are in the Natural Butte Unit which encompasses the same lands.

ARCO is currently reviewing TOSCO's mining plan and would like to be advised if a mining proposal has been submitted for approval and/or comment to your office, and if so what is the current status of the proposal?

Atlantic Richfield Company would also like to know when your office anticipates an official ruling on the TOSCO proposal.

Any information you can provide would be appreciated.

Sincerely,


Cheryl L. Reese
Landman

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